

INFORMATION NOTICE

WORKFORCE SERVICES

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TO: WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT COMMUNITY

SUBJECT: GREEN JOBS SFP 2010/11

The Employment Development Department, in coordination with the California Workforce Investment Board and the California Labor and Workforce Development Agency, announces the availability of up to \$6 million in Workforce Investment Act, Governor's Discretionary 15 Percent funds. Up to \$3 million of these funds is being leveraged to support the Department of Labor Green Jobs Innovation Fund Solicitation for Grant Application. The remaining \$3 million will be made available for the Green Jobs Solicitation for Proposals (SFP).

The goal of this Proposal is to promote the use of industry sector strategies as the framework for addressing the need for skilled workers in the green industry. The focus is to strengthen relationships between the green industry employers, pre-apprenticeship and registered apprenticeship programs by building on existing career training programs.

Proposals will be accepted from one of three lead agencies: 1) Local Workforce Investment Boards, 2) Community College Districts or local Community Colleges or 3) Labor Organizations. The lead applicant will be required to demonstrate a partnership with the other two agencies and a targeted industry leader. Individuals are not eligible to apply.

Proposal applications must be received NO later than Wednesday, June 1, 2011, before 3 p.m. Questions regarding the SFP will be accepted until May 11, 2011, via e-mail at WSBSFP2@edd.ca.gov.

The SFP, as well as related information, is available on the [Workforce Development SFP](#) Web page.

If you have any questions regarding this notice, please contact Janet Neitzel at (916) 653-0561.

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